



Technical Resource Group Charter

Stigma and Discrimination Reduction TRG

Purpose: To finish the work begun with the drafting of the Stigma and Discrimination White Paper presented to the OAC in June of '07

Outcome: Recommend strategies to OAC for activities designed to reduce Stigma and Discrimination

Date	April, 2008
Lead Commissioner/s	
Staff	
Composition of TRG	<p>Lead Commissioners, staff</p> <p>Option 1- Also identify up to 15 community members via a Commissioner selected application process (at Commissioner's discretion)</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Option 2- Lead commissioners and staff conduct a key stakeholder meeting process to complete the work. (process still being finalized)</p>
Outcomes/timeline	
May	Suggest reconvening original workgroup. Complete review of Stigma and Discrimination white paper. Receive background about statewide projects; how work must be done at County level. Review recommendations made and begin to identify how recommendations could be implemented at local level
May	Continued work on identifying how recommendations could be implemented at local level

June	Draft recommendations to bring to OAC mtg. In June
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When completing the work of the TRG and when making policy or strategy recommendations to the MHSOAC, each TRG should carefully consider if the recommendations meet the following criteria:

1. Culturally and Linguistically competent
2. Likely to promote a client/family/parent driven system
3. Likely to reduce stigma and discrimination
4. Fully informed via a robust stakeholder process